

GENERAL AMERICAN INVESTORS CO INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 ALTSCHUL ARTHUR G JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 GENERAL AMERICAN INVESTORS CO INC [GAM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O OVERBROOK MANAGEMENT CORP, 122 E. 42ND STREET, SUITE 2500

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 07/10/2014

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

(Street)
 NEW YORK, NY 10168

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	07/10/2014		S	2,000	D	\$ 36.7818	21,408	I ⁽¹⁾	Trust beneficiary
Common Stock	07/10/2014		S	2,100	D	\$ 36.7818	30,720	I ⁽²⁾	Trustee
Common Stock							80,703	I ⁽³⁾	TTEE/Beneficiary
Common Stock							1,750	I ⁽⁴⁾	Power of Attorney
							66,400	I ⁽³⁾	TTEE/Beneficiary

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Director is the beneficiary of a trust.
- (2) Director is the Trustee of various trusts; he disclaims any beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (3) Director is a trustee and beneficiary of various family trusts.
- (4) Director has POA for beneficial owner.

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